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MADISON . . . The Department of Regulation and Licensing announced that the following disciplinary orders were issued in May 2005.

Richard A. Bertram, Wausau, Gays Mills – Funeral Director, Dommersnaes-Bertram Family Funeral Home – Funeral Establishment. The Funeral Directors Examining Board reprimanded Richard A. Bertram and Dommersnaes-Bertram Family Funeral Home and ordered payment of costs of \$1,000.00. Mr. Bertram and Dommersnaes Family Funeral Home failed to furnish copies of the General Price List and Statement of Goods and Services to a family that had received funeral service arrangements.

Arthur H. Bloch, M.D., Highland Park, IL – **Physician and Surgeon.** The Medical Examining Board reprimanded Dr. Bloch and ordered payment of costs of \$400.00. The factual basis for the imposition of this discipline against Dr. Bloch is based on an Illinois disciplinary action which involved unprofessional conduct by requesting some adolescent patients to disrobe for weigh-ins before psychotherapy.

Kevin E. Bloomer, Pleasant Prairie – Certified Public Accountant. The Accounting Examining Board reprimanded Kevin Bloomer and ordered that he attend continuing education on business ethics and pay costs of \$500.00. Kevin Bloomer failed to correct errors he had made in tax returns in a timely manner.

Michael P. Clover, Clover – Real Estate Appraiser. The Real Estate Appraisers Board limited Michael Clover's appraiser license requiring that he take education courses, cease supervisory responsibilities for 6 months, submit sample appraisals to the Department after resuming supervisory responsibilities, pay a forfeiture of \$2,400.00 and costs of \$600.00. Michael Clover provided inadequate supervision when acting as a supervising appraiser.

Elaine R. Fossum, Bangor – Funeral Director. The Funeral Directors Examining Board limited Elaine Fossum's license to practice as a Funeral Director in that she may only practice under the supervision of a Board approved funeral director, and ordered her to pay costs of \$400.00. Elaine Fossum failed to respond to requests for the amount of funds in a funeral trust, failed to respond to a request for written account of a funeral trust, failed to timely arrange for the date of death to be inscribed on a head stone, and failed to respond to complaints that the date of death was not inscribed.

- **Barbara A Greatens, La Crosse Certified Social Worker.** The Social Worker Section of the Marriage and Family Therapy, Professional Counseling and Social Work Examining Board suspended Barbara Greatens for an indefinite period and ordered payment of costs of \$335.00. Barbara Greatens engaged in sexual conduct with a client within two years of termination of professional services.
- **Bruce E. Greenfield, M.D., Beloit Physician.** The Medical Examining Board summarily suspended Dr. Bruce Greenfield's license to practice medicine and surgery for thirty days and for an addition thirty days if extended while the doctor's hearing is in process.
- **Timothy M. Greguire, Wausau Hearing Instrument Specialist.** The Hearing and Speech Examining Board revoked the hearing instrument specialist license of Timothy Greguire and ordered payment of assessable costs. Timothy Greguire was convicted of disorderly conduct, battery and disorderly conduct, and operating a vehicle while intoxicated.
- **Robert W. Harrington, M.D., Appleton Physician.** The Medical Examining Board accepted the voluntary surrender of Dr. Robert Harrington's license to practice medicine and surgery and ordered payment of costs of \$1,438.53. The basis for for the discipline is an Order issued in the State of Washington on 6/12/01 dismissing the charge of Rape in the Second Degree and ordering Dr. Harrington to surrender his licenses to practice medicine and surgery in all states in which he was licensed.
- **Jonathan H. Horsfall, Windsor Real Estate Appraiser.** The Real Estate Appraisers Board reprimanded Jonathan H. Horsfall and ordered payment of costs of \$700.00. Jonathan Horsfall created a conflict of interest by preparing an appraisal on his own property.
- **Scott D. Howells, M.D., Wuasau Physician and Surgeon.** The Medical Examining Board limited Dr. Scott Howells, M.D., license by requiring participation in continuing education approved by the Board, and ordered the payment of costs of \$1,236.00. Dr. Howells failed to properly evaluate a post-surgical patient including failure to perform appropriate diagnostic testing and failure to notify the physician who performed the surgical procedure of the patient's admission with complaints of pain in the area of surgery.
- **Lisa H. Kluslow, D.V.M., Milwaukee Veterinarian.** The Veterinary Examining Board reprimanded Dr. Lisa Kluslow, D.V.M., and ordered payment of costs of \$100.00. Dr. Kluslow practiced with an expired license from approximately January 1, 2004 to September 16, 2004.
- **Kubnick & Warren, Rice Lake Accounting Firm.** The Accounting Examining Board reprimanded Kubnick & Warren and ordered the payment of costs of \$500.00. Kubnick & Warren were determined to have performed work that was not in compliance with Generally Accepted Accounting Procedures and Generally Accepted Auditing Standards.
- **James A. Michaels, DDS, Oconomowoc Dentist.** The Dentistry Examining Board limited the license of Dr. James A. Michaels by requiring completion of courses approved by the Board and ordered payment of a forfeiture of \$400.00 and costs of \$1,825.73. When Dr. Michaels was unable to remove a broken portion of an endodontic file from a tooth, he failed to refer the

patient to an endodontist to remove the broken file from the tooth and to complete debridement of the canal.

John H. Randall, M.D., Green Bay – Physician and Surgeon. The Medical Examining Board limited the license of John H. Randall, M.D., by requiring completion of education courses approved by the Board, restricting prescribing and dispensing of controlled substances, requiring a mentoring program and ordering the payment of costs of \$1,300.00. Dr. Randall was under investigation for injudicious prescribing of controlled substances without adequate supportive documentation.

Bevier H. Sleight III, D.C., Eau Claire – Chiropractor. The Chiropractic Examining Board revoked the license of Bevier Sleight and ordered payment of costs of \$5,650.00. Dr. Sleight engaged in sexual contact with three individuals while they were his patients.

Jacques R. Thebert, D.V.M., Franklin – Veterinarian. The Veterinary Examining Board limited the license of Dr. Jacques Thebert, D.V.M., by requiring completion of continuing education approved by the Board, requiring Dr. Thebert or another veterinarian on his staff to meet with all the owners of his patients to discuss the diagnosis of the animal's conditions, prognosis, further diagnostics and treatment options, develop and implement a recordkeeping system, and pay costs of \$929.00. Dr. Thebert failed to properly advise the owner of a dog of the diagnosis, additional diagnostics, prognosis and treatment options, and to comply with medical records requirements.

Nickolas P. Tierney, M.D., Shoreview, MN – Physician and Surgeon. The Medical Examining Board ordered the surrender of the license of Dr. Nickolas P. Tierney, M.D., and ordered payment or costs of \$500.00. This order is based on facts stipulated to by the Minnesota Board of Medical Practice and Dr. Nicholas Tierney, MD, including treatment of Dr. Tierney for psychiatric conditions and use of cocaine and marijuana, and on Dr. Tierney's indefinite suspension by the Minnesota Board.

John F. Zenko, Pembine – Real Estate Appraiser. The Real Estate Appraisers Board accepted the voluntary surrender of certified residential appraiser license of John Zenko. Mr. Zenko elected to retire effective May 1, 2005 citing personal reasons.